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2 MARKET SQUARE.

NEW EQUIPMENTS

N. H. N. G. Has No Use For Any-
thing But First Class Stuff

Adjutant-General A. D. Ayling has
under consideration the project of hav-
ing twelve companies of the N. H. N. G.
furnished with new equipments as far
as it is practicable. These are the com-
panies that served in the "Yuko Span-
ko" war. They are the eight companies
of the third regiment and A. B. C. and
H. of the second regiment. Company A
is Dover, Captain Rollins; B is Man-
chester, Captain Sullivan; C is Nashua,
Captain Wood and H is Keene, Captain
Babbidge. When these companies volun-
teered to go to the war the texts and
other equipments that had been furnish-
ed to them by the State were turned
over to the United States Government.
The equipments were used by the sol-
diers, and at the close of the service the
United States Government, through
Lieutenant Landon, wished to sell the
equipment back to the State of New
Hampshire. The offer was declined by
Adjutant Ayling on the ground that
this state does not furnish to its militia
anything but first class material. In fact
Lieutenant Landon rather urged that
State of New Hampshire accept or pur-
chase back the much used and abused
articles.

In the meantime the adjutant-general
has been urged by the United States
Government to equip the New Hamp-
shire boys in the best possible manner,
and to that end he bent his energies.
The account was faithfully and accu-
rately kept, and today although the
matter is not settled, General Ayling
has the opinion that the New Hamp-
shire claim will be allowed. The cost
of mobilizing the boys and furnishing
them with proper equipment was no small
sum. General Ayling is trying to draw
all of the equipments necessary under
the law allowing the state to draw a
certain amount each year, and at the
present time the requisitions are in and
recorded. Should the United States
Government be unable to fill the de-
mands it is the purpose of General
Ayling to purchase from outside parties.
With that object in view he has
visited Boston and has received esti-
mates on the articles that are to be
furnished to the N. H. N. G. He is of
the opinion that the annual encamp-
ment will be held next summer. At
that time he desires that the boys be
furnished with nice clean tents and
other comforts.

23 WOMEN TAKEN.

Raid on Gloucester's Large Number
of Alleged Disorderly Houses.

Gloucester, March 3.—Shortly after
dark this evening Marshal Karher dis-
patched practically the whole police
force in boats to the various alleged
houses of ill repute in the city. They
came back with 23 women and packages
of liquor. Almost all secured bail.

Many of the women were at supper
when they were surprised by the offi-
cers. At John J. Hickey's place they
attempted to scatter and several suc-
ceeded in getting into the yard, only to
fall into the hands of waiting police-
men.

A woman and boy, who said they
were visitors from Portsmouth, N. H.,
were taken at Ethel Stone's.

The policemen and their captives ar-
rived at the police station almost simul-
taneously, and the guardroom was filled
with women of various types, none
of whom seemed to take the situation
seriously. A large crowd watched the
proceedings from outside the station.

Among the trophies secured were
bags made of bed ticking, some of
which held hard liquor and which were
worn about the person.

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one dreaded disease that science has
been able to cure in all its stages, and
that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is
the only positive cure known to the
medical fraternity. Catarrh being a
constitutional disease, requires a con-
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TEA TABLE TALK.

PRIMROSE PATHS OF PLEASURE

Down primrose paths of pleasure,
With laughter and with song,
We sit up a merry measure
And gleeful strains prolong;
For light and frolic are youthful feet
And ardent lips do seek the sweet!

Into the hedges dipping,
We pluck the shining bloom,
While the fragrant hours are slipping
With never a hint of gloom;
And never a sigh or a dewy eye,
And never a thought for the by-and-by!

Down primrose paths of pleasure,
Through the realm of the joyous Now,
We trip a merry measure
Beneath the budding bough;
A heart of bliss and a mouth to kiss,
What more wants a youthful soul than this!

The way has no recalling,
It leads to drear hedge rows,
Where frost and light are falling
And never a primrose grows;
So we seek today white throats and gay,
For the May-time will not always stay!

A Portland paper reminds us that three
years ago at this time New England
was suffering from the ravages of the
most terrible freshet that has visited
this section of the country since 1841.

Our country correspondents are de-
lirious. They haven't told an anxious
public how the sea product is panning
out.

Salter and Packer, the eccentric
bachelors who were noteworthy figures
in Portsmouth at the close of the
Revolution, are treated in an entertain-
ing sketch by Caroline C. Shea in the
New England Magazine of March.

The steamship Labrador was carry-
ing Agoncillo, Aguinaldo's emissary,
and suffered its just deserts by be-
ing wrecked on Mackenzie Rock. "Ag"
escaped, and Andrew Carnegie wired
congratulations.

Many of the Maine hotels and board-
ing houses are so hard up for eggs that
they have in some cases resorted to the
breakfast menu on account of their
inability to secure fresh ones. Fresh
eggs are pretty hard to get up this way
and demand a high price. Easter eggs
are likely to be scarce, unless the hens
call the strike off.

Said a young man about town, "Sat-
urday is the happiest day of the week,
for it's pay day and I have the most
money then. Monday is the saddest,
because it's all gone." A lot of fellows will
agree with this.

Listen ye Exeter bowling fiends! Man-
ager Schutzen of the Portsmouth lley is
picking material for a team that will
give you an interesting match. When he
has made a satisfactory selection, I
think you will be accommodated with a
game.

Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin company
advertises the largest bloodhound in the
world, weighing two hundred and three
pounds and worth a thousand dollars. I
hope he'll prove more of a thorough-
bred than the hound which one Uncle
Tom's company brought around here
several years ago. While the street pa-
rade was passing by the Kearsarge,
some Portsmouth fellow's bull dog
(Billy Marshall's, I think), pounced upon
this canine and made him look like a
piece of wrapping paper in a gale of
wind. Uncle Tom, Eva and the thirteen
members of the two bands couldn't ex-
tricate their pet, and finally a bonfire
had to be started under the dogs to
separate them. The bloodhound didn't
appear at Music hall that evening.

Stetson's company is legitimate
though.

There are some old fossils in Con-
gress who ought to go back home and
stay there, leaving national issues in the
hands of braver and more up-to-date
men. They have once more gotten in
their deplorable work, this time on the
naval appropriation bill. Secretary
Long very wisely asks for fifteen new
warships. Instead, we get only six.

It had seemed as if these "thick-
heads" must have received a good
healthy lesson from the recent war,
which found us with a pitiful navy and
no coast defenses. If our foe had been
almost any other European power, we
should have been in a sorry fix, just be-
cause of our shiftless neglect to prepare
for such an emergency. Now, after all
the hustle and expense necessary to
scrape up fleets to meet Spain,—after
all the fright and ignominious flurry
which reigned for weeks along our un-
protected Atlantic coast,—now these
stupid and selfish deliberations block a

sensible and timely increase of our
navy.

It is enough to make a good Yankee's
blood boil. Such fools should be sent
to Siberia or Bloomingdale asylum,—
to any place where they couldn't inter-
fere with honest American politics.
Somebody ought to weed out Congress
with a fine-tooth rake. Should another
war break out now, these same idiots
would be the first to howl and blubber
for "protection" against the enemy's
squadrons, and then complain if it
wasn't given them. Mass-grown Con-
gressmen are running sores in our
national development. Fogg.

CLUB NOTES.

Portsmouth Cycle Club.
The result of the games played in
the Cycle club pool tournament on
Friday, was as follows: J. Mitchell
defeated W. Mitchell, 100 to 77; Good-
win defeated Bickford, 100 to 86;
Goodwin defeated White, 100 to 55;
Crompton defeated Goodwin, 100 to 97;
Barrus defeated Nickerson, 100 to 92;
J. Tilton defeated W. Mitchell, 100 to
90.

Warner Club.
The games in the whist tournament at
the Warner club on Friday evening
resulted as follows: Taylor and Shap-
leigh 20, Young and Drake 13; Holmes
and Oldfield 20, Kennard and Green 14;
Holmes and Oldfield 20, Kennard and
Green 19; Kennard and Green 20,
Holmes and Oldfield 18.

Portsmouth Athletic Club.
The following are the games played
in the whist tournament on Friday even-
ing:

Storer and Sweetser defeated Smith
and Vennard, 30 to 23.
Cotton and Sides defeated Fisher and
Tibbets, 30 to 20.

The following are the entries and
handicaps in the billiard tournament:
E. M. Fisher, scratch; John G. Tobey,
Jr. and J. Norris Parker, first class;
Arthur F. Howard, second class. M. A.
Moyahon, third class; Fred L. Woods,
fourth class and W. Herman Sides,
limit.

The scratch man gives first class 25
points, second class 40, third class 45,
fourth class 60 and fifth class 90.

First class gives second 25, third 30,
fourth 40 and fifth 70.

Second class gives third 10, fourth 35,
and fifth 55.

Third class gives fourth 50 and fifth
45, and the fourth gives the limit 40.

POLITICAL NOTES

The democrats are talking of Chancy
B. Hoyt, John Mooney, F. F. Grant
and F. W. Moses for aldermen in ward
one.

Augustine Kirvan of ward three is said
to be the choice of the democrats in
that ward.

The young friends of W. P. Robin-
son of ward five are extending con-
gratulations.

It is stated that Hon. Calvin Page
will be the democratic nominee for may-
or.

Candidates for city office will be more
numerous than ever.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

This evening at the informal social
for young men at the Young Men's
Christian association there will be re-
ports from the delegates to the Laconia
convention. Music will be furnished
by the graphophone and refreshments
will be served.

The usual meeting for men will be
held at the rooms Sunday afternoon at
four o'clock. There will be a short
service followed by a devotional
meeting conducted by the convention
delegates. All men are invited.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE.

The following is the vesper music
service at the Unitarian church on Sun-
day, and will be rendered by organ, or-
chestra and quartette:

Prelude—Andante from Mass in B flat.
Orchestra and Organ.
Anthem—"The Radiant Morning has Passed
Away."
Anthem—"The Last Wish."
Solo for Cornet.
Anthem—"Abide With Me."
Postlude—Credo, Mass in B flat.
Orchestra and Organ.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be mag-
netic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-
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KITTERY.

A Kittery Point sportsman bagged six
black ducks in Spruce creek one day the
first of the week.

Judge Burbank of Portland was here
on business.

Only works of fiction are yet ready
for distribution at the Rice public
library, but the other classes of reading
will be ready soon.

The river is now practically free from
ice and causes but little inconvenience
to navigators.

Mr. Hanson of Gorham has been visit-
ing in town.

William Ayer, who has been living in
Mrs. Ruby Littlefield's house while
working on the navy yard, has with
Mrs. Ayer returned to their home in
Franklin, N. H.

The pupils of the High school are
planning for a dramatic entertainment
and sale in Traipe hall in the near fu-
ture to raise funds to pay the rent of
their piano.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

Pay Inspector Foster will pay the
workmen today.

Hon. E. C. Moody of York has been
required on the yard.

Carpenter Ward, U. S. N., of this
yard, is the ranking officer in his corps.
One hundred warrant machinists are
to be appointed for the various war ves-
sels.

Work on the foundation for the elec-
tric light plant will be commenced in a
few days.

Pay Director Henry M. Denniston, U.
S. N., and Mrs. Denniston, have re-
turned from a day's visit in Boston.

The news regarding the personnel
bill was received with a smile by the
officers. The rank and pay of the civil-
ian remains just the same.

THE GRAND

Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin at the
Grand is reviving popular interest in
the longest lived American drama ex-
tant. The present company seems to be
quite competent to an interpretation of
more than ordinary interest. That was
the verdict of yesterday's performances,
and one which promises to stand
through the remainder of the week.
Matinees are daily and the engagement
ends Saturday night.—Columbus Even-
ing Press.

ULLIE AKERSTROM SOUTH.

Ullie Akerstrom, the favorite actress,
has an illness caused by the sudden
death of her dear mother that has ren-
dered her unfit for her professional
work this season, and Mr. Bernard, her
husband, by advice of physicians took
her south where they have been passing
the winter at St. Augustine, Fla. She
says the out door life she is leading has
benefitted her greatly, and she is look-
ing forward to meeting her New Eng-
land friends again next season.

KITTERY POINT.

Harold W. Frisbee, night telegraph
operator at Ipswich, Mass., passed Sun-
day in town with his parents.

J. Fred Door is confined to the house
with an attack of German measles.

DIED AT THE HOSPITAL.

Michael Nugent, an old resident of
the Creek district, died at the Cottage
hospital on Friday afternoon after a
long illness, aged 50 years.

YORK.

Mrs. John Varrell is visiting in Bos-
ton.

Mrs. Sarah Freeman of Chase's Pond,
was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. L.
Hawkes on Thursday. Mrs. Freeman
started for Vassboro, Me., Friday.

Miss Nason of Kittery was in town on
Thursday.

Mrs. William Varrell is spending a few
days in Boston.

Owing to the storm of Thursday even-
ing no session of the glee club was held.

Marshall Putnam, one of our pluckiest
and most popular little boys has taken
the agency for the HERALD in this town
and is receiving good patronage.

Miss Alberta Littlehale left this morn-
ing for a visit among relatives in Middle-
boro, Mass.

Dr. F. D. Stackpole of Roxbury, who
was among the first to recognize the
beauties of York Harbor as a summer
resort and a large property owner here
has made a very decided improvement
by moving his cottage near the residence
of Hon. E. S. Marshall, back about one
hundred feet and a little to the east-
ward, thereby giving him a beautiful
entrance to his summer house on the
hill.

Last season, despite the war, York
Harbor was filled to overflowing and
the outlook for the coming season is
very bright. A large number of our
cottages have already been taken by the
patrons of York. Old York has so
many natural attractions, the river, the
ocean, the mountains, the bathing
beaches, the cliffs, etc., that one reason
with us seldom fails to produce a long-
ing to return.

The ladies of the M. E. Social Circle
met with Mrs. G. W. S. Putnam, Wed-
nesday afternoon, and were busily en-
gaged in making useful articles to be
sold for the benefit of the society. A
large attendance of young people in the
evening. The circle closed with singing
led by Miss Baulah Blaisdell.

The main house of the Varrell Bros
cottages has been moved back thirty
feet and raised up twelve feet, giving an
addition of fourteen rooms, a much
larger dining room and kitchen, thereby
making the facilities much better for
their ever-increasing patronage.

The new cottage being built by E. B.
& S. T. Blaisdell for E. L. Florence
of Boston is an honor to the Harbor, and
when completed will be one of the best
among us. It is situated at Eastern
point, so called, and is large and com-
modious, as well as a fine piece of
architecture.

BOBBED THE GRAVE.

A startling incident, of which Mr.
John Oliver of Philadelphia was the
subject, is narrated by him as follows:
"I was in a most dreadful condition.
My skin was almost yellow, eyes sun-
ken, tongue coated, pain continually in
back and sides, no appetite,—gradually
growing weaker day by day. Three
physicians had given me up. Fortu-
nately, a friend advised trying 'Electric
Bitters,' and to my great joy and sur-
prise, the first bottle made a decided
improvement. I continued their use
for three weeks and am now a well
man. I know they saved my life and
robbed the grave of another victim."
No one should fail to try them. Only
50 cents per bottle, at the Globe Gro-
cery Co.'s store.

GOING INTO BUSINESS.

Joseph P. Conner has leased the
photograph studio in the Fay block on
Market square, recently occupied by E.
O. Nickerson and is to continue the
business. His brother, Mr. Perry Con-
ner, will superintend the business.

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Hovel and mart and palace, soon or late

I knock unbidden once at every gate. If sleeping, wake; if feasting, rise before

I turn away. It is the hour of fate And they who follow me reach every state

Mortals desire, and conquer every foe

Save death; but those who doubt or hesitate, Condemned to failure, penury and woe

Seek me in vain and uselessly implore, I answer not, and I return no more.

—John J. Ingalls.

AN AERIAL ROMANCE

No one who saw the tawdry finery of hisinsel trappings and the cheap appointments of the famous Signor Salviatorina as single handed and alone he prepared the paraphernalia for his tight-rope performance which had brought him his glory would have ever imagined that there was time or space in his busy life for a romance. The Signor was a peripatetic perambulator of the rope, and his field of performance lay in country towns, where it was his wont to stretch his narrow pathway across a street from roof to roof of houses whose owners were willing to extend that privilege to him in exchange for tickets to "the Great and Only Megatherian Concert," which followed the outdoor exhibition. Yet he had a romance, and there was in it those elements which one greater than the Signor Salviatorina might easily have crystallized into a melodrama that would have stirred the applause of a thousand galleries.

"The greatest act I ever done," he said with a natural and easy disregard of accent and syntax, "I done in an Ohio town about ten years ago. I was doing my turn there for a week, as it was the county fair season, and I was following their trail like a sleuth, for they brought people to town and helped my business, never none too good. The third night of my performance, which was a half-hour exhibition in midair before the concert had begun, I had gone up to the roof to get things ready, and while I was pottering around snugglin' up the rope and seeing that there wasn't any loose cogs to be dropping, I heard a screech up through the scuttle hole leading to the roof and the next second out popped a woman like one of these here jumping jacks. It came me a hard pull on my nerves, but I flew over to see what the matter was. It was my landlady—and here I want to say that when I stop for any time in a town I go to a boarding house where I can get a rate that won't break me. Got to do it in this line. Can't give it all to railroads and hotels.

"In this case I not only stopped at this boarding house, but the landlady let me stretch my rope from her roof to the roof of the house across the way, and as it was the main street of the town, it was convenient all the way round for me. The only drawback was that the lady had a half-crazy husband that never had done anything for her when he had his senses, and now she had to support him and take his abuse of her every time he got in a jealous fit, which was every time she had a new boarder that was anything for looks and style."

Signor Salviatorina stopped a moment at this remark, stroked his little chin whisker, and smiled retrospectively.

"She had only been polite to me because I had been polite to her, as any agent should be when there is a pretty woman around, and the landlady was the prettiest little woman, about as big as a piece of soap, I had met.

"As I was saying, when I got to her she had slung the cover to the scuttle hole over it and was sitting on it with her jaws set and trying to stick her toes into the roof to help hold it down. In a mighty few words she told me her husband was on the chase after her with a hatchet to kill her and he would be up from below in a minute. She wasn't as bad scared as I was, for I didn't have much experience in that kind of business and didn't know what to do. I didn't have anything to defend myself or her with, either, and the more I thought of the situation the more I began to think how many things there were that was more dangerous than walking a tight rope fifty feet above the earth, and me as innocent as a babe. The little woman told me to bring a barrel half full of sand there was over in one corner of the roof and we'd set it over the cover of the scuttle to hold it down. I done it as fast as I could, and when we had the barrel there and about fixed, the crazy husband came elating up with his hatchet. As luck would have it the sand fell in on him and knocked him off the ladder below, and the barrel got stuck in the hole, so the little woman and me had a minute or two to think, and she done the thinking.

"Are you afraid?" said she.

"Some," says I, nodding toward the scuttle hole.

"I mean of me," says she smiling.

"Not much," says I.

"Are you strong?" says she.

"That's part of my act," says I, "but not against a crazy man with a hatchet," says I, wondering what she would do next and about how long it would be till the crazy man was on deck with his tomahawk gleaming in the air.

"Then," says she, "grab hold of me right quick and carry me across the rope over to Mrs. Peck's house so's my husband won't get at me with that axe."

"She had more nerve in a minute than I had in a week, but when she said that my professional pride came to me, and without any more talk I reached for my balancing pole, and, stooping down so she could get on my back, which she didn't like very much, I made a quick run for the end of the rope just as the crazy husband came out of the scuttle through the barrel and tumbled down on the roof half-smothered with sand. I told her to hold tight and to the prayin' for both of us and I thought I could get her through safe. I don't know how I ever got out on that rope with her on my back, for that wasn't the way my profession done business, but I got there, and as I shot out with the woman clinging to me the people in the street below set up such a yell as I never heard before and I come near losing my balance, for I knew, and they didn't, why this feature that wasn't on the bill was being showed.

"The crowd yelled about twice, and then all of a sudden got so still I could hear the little woman's heart beat. Anyway, I thought I could, but maybe it was my own. I knew when they done that the crowd had seen the man on the roof with the hatchet and recognized him, for all the people in the town knew the kind of a fellow he was. At the same time the crowd got still something came to me telling me to nerve myself, for the crazy man would cut the rope and drop me and my load in the street to be crushed into a shapeless mass, and I came near letting go and dropping before I was dropped. I couldn't see what was going on behind me, and all the little woman knew she was whispering to me to go ahead, because we were safe if I only kept my path. I didn't know whether she thought about the man with the hatchet or not. Likely she did. It wasn't her to mention it, though, under them circumstances.

"While I was thinking about him cutting the rope I was getting along it toward the safe end as fast as I could, the little woman hanging on till she nearly choked me, but it didn't hurt, and I was standing it beautiful. It's funny how a man will find pleasure in life when there's so much in sight that ain't, and I nearly forgot the man with the hatchet thinking about the little woman's arms holding onto my neck as the only hope for her life. But it was only for a second; then I felt a jar on the rope and I choked and braced myself, for I was sure that the crazy man was beginning to cut, and I knew that three or four licks would be enough. I waited for the second jar, but it didn't come, and in its place came a spring to the rope, as if a weight had been taken off of it, followed by a swishing sound and a dull thud on the sidewalk fifty feet below us. At the same time the crowd set up a groan as if every person in it was hurt. I didn't know for sure what had happened, but I guessed that the crazy man, like most any crazy person or a mad dog, only had room in his mind for one thing at a time, and when that was there there wasn't space for any more. He wanted to kill his wife, and the only way he knew how to do it was with the hatchet by cutting her to pieces. It did not strike him that he could kill her by cutting the rope and letting her drop to the ground. That was too much for him. He knew an easier way, and as she was out there on the rope not forty feet from him, he would go out there and kill her. Crazy people have such a crazy way of doing things, don't they? He did, and when he took his second step out on the rope he went over and down to his death. That's what had made the rope spring back. I guess the little woman must have felt that something awful had happened, though she never said a word, because when I at last stepped safe on to the roof and the crowd yelled a hundred times louder than they did before they knew what they were yelling about, the little woman let go her hold around my neck and dropped at my feet in a dead faint; and I didn't blame her, either; it was time for somebody to faint, and if she hadn't done it I would, sure pop. Her doing it gave me something else to think about, and I got her downstairs as quick as I could where the women took charge of her and soon brought her out all right.

"I guess that's all there is to it," smiled the signor, picking up his balancing pole and pointed to a date line and some initials on it. "This is the one that steadied us over, and the little woman had them put on there when she became the blushing bride of Signor Salviatorina," and the Signor bowed with a sweep that would have entranced an audience of millions.

3,000 Miles to a Dinner.

Charles C. Randolph, owner of the Republican, of Phoenix, Ariz., has the unique distinction of travelling 3,000 miles to attend a dinner—a Gridiron club dinner—at Washington. Mr. Randolph was for years a leading Washington correspondent of a New York paper, and was prominently identified with the Gridiron Club, which entertains Presidents and statesmen in Congress and jokes with them as though they were ordinary clay. Mr. Randolph emigrated to the territory two years ago but annually makes the long journey to attend the big club dinner. He does it not for the dinner itself, mark you—a Gridiron Club dinner is a great event, to be sure—but to keep in touch with statesmen. One of these fine days Mr. Randolph will be a statesman himself. When Arizona comes into the Union as a State he will probably be one of its first senators.

ANELECTRIC CHAPEL

A VILLAGE CHAPEL LIGHTED WHOLLY BY VACUUM TUBES.

It was the Star Exhibit at the Recent Electrical Exposition in New York City—The Beauty and Purity of the Light and Perfect Lighting System.

One of the most attractive exhibits at the recent New York electrical exhibition was a chapel lighted entirely by the vacuum tube invented by D. McFarlan Moore. The visitor was introduced into a passageway leading to the chapel, along which Mr. Moore sought to give the pilgrim a five-minute practical course in the applications of electricity. Emerging from a bend in the passageway the front of the chapel suddenly loomed up a perfect reproduction of a stone village church, steeple, clock and all. Within was seen the vaulted roof ribbed with veritable arches of light consisting of long curved tubes of glass about two inches in diameter and glowing their entire length with a pure white light. The harmony of the surroundings was everywhere observed. The ear was



THE LIGHTED CHAPEL.

gratified with melodious strains from a magnificent pipe organ, which filled the far end of the chapel behind the altar fully equipped, even to the lectern. The tube arches sprang from pillars, each capped with a highly polished, specially designed brass fixture. They took the form of a crown, while at the apex of the chapel ceiling, where the tube arches met, they were joined by a highly decorated brass cylinder bent at its center. These were the first vacuum tube lighting fixtures ever designed, and are a striking example of the manner in which Mr. Moore has worked out the thousand and one details of his lighting system. In this connection it should be mentioned that the chapel was wired completely with iron armored conduits. Over the rear door in colored vacuum tubes was the inscription: "Let There Be Light." The photograph which served as the original for the accompanying illustration was taken entirely by the light from the vacuum tubes.

The Very Oldest Hobby.

Probably the strangest hobby in the world is that of Henry Woodbridge of Mayfield, Ky., who devotes all his money and time to developing his plot in the local cemetery in a way which is as grotesque as it is, happily, original. His first modest and laudable effort was to erect a plain monument to mark the family resting place. Not satisfied with this, however, he added to it a white marble shaft bearing on its face a relief presentation of himself on horseback.

Having thus struck the personal note, "Uncle Henry," as he is familiarly called, had a life-sized statue of himself erected at a cost of \$1,000. He then introduced statues of his mother and eldest brother, to be followed shortly by similar statues in Indiana limestone of a favorite niece and of a young girl who had brought him flowers during an illness.

His next ambition was to see himself on horseback, and the family gathering was augmented by a life-size statue of "Uncle Henry" on his favorite horse. Then followed perambulations in stone of his favorite deerhound, "Tow Head," chasing a deer; another of a fox pursued by his hound, "Bob," and a marble sarcophagus with a carved representation of his favorite gun.

The latest additions have been statues of three of his brothers in the stiff poses and the most prosaic of dresses. As "Uncle Henry," although 75 years old, is still hale and more enthusiastic than ever, it is certain that this strange menagerie will receive many more additions before he sleeps in the oddest environment with which eccentricity ever surrounded a dead man.

Where Wives Are in Demand.

Wives are wanted in Rhodesia. The British South Africa Company is anxious for active colonization. For many years the Chartered Company has discountenanced marriage among the mounted police, civil servants and other employees, a measure for which Cecil Rhodes, whose misogynist views are well known, has been held responsible. But this policy has been entirely reversed, and an edict has gone forth among the Chartered Company's officials promising that preference in promotion will be given to married men and advising all who can do so to enter forthwith into the bonds of matrimony.

Wonder of a Volcanic Isle.

One of the greatest wonders of Java, "the fire island," a large lake of boiling mud, is situated almost in the plains of Grobogan, some distance to the northeast of Solo. It is nearly two miles in circumference, and in the center immense columns of soft hot mud may be seen continually rising and falling, like great black chimneys thrust forth and then suddenly withdrawn by a giant's hand. Besides the phenomena of the columns, there are two gigantic bubbles near the western edge, which fill up like huge balloons and explode on an average three times per minute.

PARALLEL TO BALAKLAVA.

Almost Obliterated Two Regiments Ruined the Army.

It seems the Germans have a story to match the charge of the light brigade at Balaklava, equally magnificent, and a good deal more like what than that blundering exhibition of course. George Rensen, a son of the famous German savant, tells the story of a German officer who carried the order to Auerwald, at the light of Mars-la-Tour. It became necessary to save the army at any sacrifice by gaining time for more troops to come up. The general in command sent orders to two cavalry regiments to advance; they were the crack regiments of the Prussian service. The staff officer rode up to Auerwald, the senior of the two commanders, and told him to advance against the French.

"You are not serious," was the reply. "You do not mean me to attack the whole French army?"

"I am serious; I bring you positive orders to do so."

Auerswald bowed and, sending for the young prince of Hohentollern, ordered him immediately to ride off the field. The young man said: "I have done nothing to deserve this," and burst into tears. Auerswald replied: "Your family has suffered quite enough. I order you as a soldier to do your duty and obey your commanding officer."

He then directed his men to advance, first at a foot's pace, then a trot, then a gallop. They did so and were almost all destroyed. When the survivors had broken through the French Auerswald ordered the bugles to sound the assembly; slowly some sixty-seven were mustered. Auerswald said: "Soldiers, I thank you; you have done your duty. Long live the king!" and fell from his horse, mortally wounded. He recovered consciousness, but died the next day. About 300 only of the two regiments remained alive, but the army was saved.

Buddhism in Burmah.

Some sailors on board of her majesty's ships at Rangoon obtained leave of absence to go into the interior and lost their way. A short time afterward they were brought back by some Burmans, who had fed them and showed them the way home. The Burmans immediately returned to their village, and though the then chief commissioner, the late Sir Charles Aitchison, endeavored to find them in order to reward them, I believe he never succeeded. It caused a good deal of comment in Rangoon at the time. I think it is interesting, as showing the effect of the teaching of Buddha, and how it saves the Burman from that "lust of gain" which, as you say, "has taken so strong a hold on our civilization," though I sometimes found it inconvenient living in a land where the people are so utterly indifferent to money.

When the Day Begins.

According to an agreement among scientific men and navigators the world over, the day begins as the sun, moving westward, crosses an imaginary line running from Behring Straits south, southwest, east and south in a very arbitrary manner. So, as San Francisco is preparing to go to bed Monday night, New Zealand is preparing to wake up on Tuesday morning.

Photograph as a Teacher.

The photograph is now used to teach foreign languages. With each photograph the pupil receives a textbook and twenty loaded cylinders. Each lesson in the book is arranged in the form of questions and answers. The pupil, ready to begin, puts the cylinder of the first lesson in the machine, the tubes in his ears and starts the photograph.

A Tropical Klondike Perhaps.

It is the opinion of some competent observers who have made such surveys as present circumstances permit, that the Philippines will become one of the world's great gold producers, and nowhere else, except at one point on the Alaskan coast, are gold deposits found within a few hundred feet of anchorage for sea-going ships.

Power Required in Bicycling.

The driving of a bicycle at ten miles an hour has been ascertained to require about one-twenty-third of a horse power. An expert rider for a short time may exert one-third of a horse power. For rapid work, not scorching, one-seventh horse power is needed. These figures are the result of scientific investigation.

The Mail's Long Journey.

When the United States mail service across the Rainy River at Korchiching, Minn., was discontinued the result was that a letter posted there for Port Frances, half a mile away on the Canadian side, now has to travel 1,250 miles, and it takes eight days to reach its destination.

A Tree That is Hard to Kill.

The "life tree" of Jamaica is harder to kill than any other species of wood on growth known to arbor-culturists. It continues to grow and thrive for months after it has been uprooted and exposed to the sun.

A Jeweled Globe.

The Shah has in his palace at Teheran a 12-inch globe, upon which the parts of the world are set out in jewels of various colors—England with rubies, India with diamonds, the sea with emeralds and so on.

Increase of Metals.

Four hundred years ago only seven metals were known. Now there are 61—30 of which have been discovered within the present century.

While five per cent. of all Europeans are trained soldiers, there is only one soldier in every 100 people in America.

FORTUNES IN CROWNS.

The Enormous Amount of Jewels That They Contain.

One of the most elaborate is that of the King of Portugal. Its jewels alone are valued at \$1,600,000. The crest of the crown which the Czar of Russia wears on special occasions is a cross composed of five marvelously brilliant diamonds resting on a large ruby, uncut but polished. The state crown of the czarina, though small, is composed, according to authorities upon the subject of gems, of the finest stones ever strung.

Queen Victoria's great crown, valued at \$350,000, contains a splendid ruby, one large sapphire, besides sixteen smaller ones, eight emeralds, four moderate-sized rubies, 1,360 brilliants and 1,273 rose diamonds, with four small pear-formed pearls and 259 of other shapes.

When the Sultan of Johore wears his crown and his state clothes the diamonds on him alone are estimated to be worth \$2,500,000. His collar, his epaulets, his girdle and cuffs, the handle and blade of his sword, are all studded with precious gems. His bracelets are of massive gold, and his fingers are covered with rings that are almost priceless.

But perhaps the most costly insignia of princely dignity are those of another tributary prince of British India, the Maharajah of Baroda. This gentleman's chief ornament is not a crown, but a necklace of five strands containing 500 diamonds, some of which are as large as hazel nuts, while the upper and lower rows consist of emeralds of the same size.

110,000 Pounds for a Single Pearl.

The largest price ever asked and paid for a single pearl was \$110,000, which was the value of the great Tavernier pearl. It was originally in the possession of an Arabian merchant, and Monsieur Tavernier traveled from Paris to Calcutta with the express intention of purchasing the pearl.

Although he went prepared to pay any sum between \$1,000 and \$100,000, he concluded that he would be able to obtain it for about \$25,000. His first offer was \$10,000, but after the deal had remained open for a few days this had risen to \$75,000. Finally the transaction was closed with \$110,000, and pearl experts state that it is a clear bargain at that price. It is the largest and most perfect gem of its kind known, and its luster is said to be unrivaled. It is exactly two inches in length and oval-shaped.

A Novel Invention.

One of the most ingenious as well as useful contrivances ever invented is a clock with attachments that not only wake a person at night, but also strike a light in the room and kindle a fire. If a person wants to get up at 3:30 o'clock in the morning, all that is necessary is to set the alarm on the clock for that hour and adjust the light and fire attachments. Promptly at 3:30 the alarm will awake the sleeper, light a candle that is attached and kindle a fire in the grate. The clock works perfectly, and Mr. Hunt has already sold the State right for their sale in a number of States.

Two Hundred Dances in Wine Tank.

One hundred couples can dance at one time in the great half-million-gallon wine reservoir of the Italian-Swiss colony at Asti, Sonoma county. The Asti wine reservoir is the largest, if not the only example of its kind in the world. It was constructed as a matter of necessity and some what as an experiment from inability to obtain sufficient cooerage for the wine crop which the San Francisco merchants refused to purchase. There is room in the reservoir for 200 dancers, as its dimensions are 80 feet in length, 34 in breadth and 24 in height.

An Alarm Thermometer.

To give an alarm when any predetermined temperature is reached a new thermometer has wires inserted in the side of the tube to complete an electric circuit as soon as the mercury rises, the wires being led to a switchboard, which is set at any desired temperature.

For Drawing Corks.

Corks can be easily withdrawn from bottles by means of a new attachment consisting of an endless strip of canvas or other heavy fabric, which is forced into the neck of the bottle with the cork, a loop being left at the top for the insertion of the fingers.

As to Bamboo Rods.

Bamboo rods for the manufacture of furniture, fishing poles, etc., are reduced in size and shaped as desired by a new machine, composed of a tapering metallic die heated to a gray heat, into which the stalks are forced, the heat melting the siliceous coating and fibres into a plastic state.

Pills for Plants.

The administration of food to plants by means of pills is a new idea. The exact kind of nourishment required is easily ascertained, the necessary salts are inclosed in a prepared case and buried under the roots.

Russian Superstition.

The Russian soldiers invariably wash and dress with extra care before a battle, as they believe physical cleanliness to play an important part in helping to enter heaven.

Drum Used in Worship.

In the Japanese temples there is a large drum used in worship. It is called the Kagura-tako, and it gives a tone much like a gong.

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The last days of congress are proving busy days and speeches are not in order.
The real object of the authors of the recent political communications will come to light later on.

Secretary Long will try and have all the officers promoted by the personnel bill confirmed by the senate today.

The officers of the navy are happy, and well they might be with an increase of from \$1,200 to \$3,500 over their present salaries. The entire increase will reach to the million mark.

President McKinley is affixing his signature to many documents which will go down in history. His signing of the bill making Bear Admiral Dewey an admiral will give the greatest satisfaction to the American people.

The recent advance in wages all over New England which was on Thursday joined in by all the leading cotton factories of New England, comes with the greatest satisfaction to the working people. The fact is that the people are satisfied that the country is now settled down for continued prosperity under the careful direction of President McKinley.

CUBANS WANT MORE.

New York March 3.—A special cable to the Sun from Havana says. The Cuban assembly had a stormy session at Mariacao yesterday. The matter under discussion was the payment of the Cuban army.

Shortly after the debate opened several of the representatives began using harsh language concerning General Gomez, whereupon the president of the assembly declared that the session would be conducted in secret, and gave orders for the expulsion of the Cuban officers, reporters and others who were present. Several Cuban generals protested vigorously against this order, declaring that they had a right to be present, but their protests availed nothing, and a guard cleared the house.

Sentences were then posted at the entrances. The generals who were forced to leave subsequently drafted an indignant protest, which General Lysle Vidal presented to the assembly. The signers of the protest held that as they belonged to the army they had a right to be present at a debate affecting their personal interests. They declared that they had no confidence in the representatives.

This statement the members of the assembly took upon as an insult, and they are consequently highly indignant. During the secret session the bell of the president could frequently be heard outside, and many demands were made for order. Senators Manuel Sanguily and Rafael Portuondo made violent speeches against General Gomez, charging that he had been bribed by the Americans.

Their speeches were frequently interrupted by an uproar which could be heard for a long distance. It was finally decided by a unanimous vote not to accept the \$3,000,000 offered by President McKinley as the total payment for the army.

It was estimated that the amount required for this purpose was \$15,000,000 and it was decided to raise a loan of \$12,000,000, which, with the \$3,000,000 offered by the Americans, would suffice to pay the troops the amount due them.

A committee was appointed to propose the terms of a loan, and the assembly, which had met at noon, adjourned after having sat for seven hours.

The question is now asked if the assembly can raise a loan without the authority of the American government. Opinion is greatly divided on this point. The next session of the assembly will be held at Ciego and will be secret.

General Gomez announces through La Lucha that he is very tired and cannot attend many more demonstrations in his honor. He says he will devote himself to the serious business of the country. He is confident that the opposition of the assembly is not serious, and that it will not prevent a peaceful solution of the question of the disbandment of the army.

Nashua, N. H., March 3.—It was announced today that the cotton mills of the Nashua and Jackson companies will restore wages on April 3. These mills employ over 3000 hands.

IN WASHINGTON.

Last Legislative Day of This Congress a Busy One.

The Sessions of Both Houses Prolonged Far into the Night.

The Army Appropriation Bill Passed the House Friday Evening.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Crowded galleries looked down upon the struggling members of the house today, as the closing scenes of the last legislative day of this congress were being enacted. Step by step the leaders in charge of the appropriation bills put them through the final stages and during every lull, while in consideration of conference reports, members clamored for recognition for belated local bills in the vain hope of rescuing them from death on the calendar. At times the house was like bedlam and it was almost impossible to preserve order. Mr. Walker of Massachusetts, after many unsuccessful attempts, got an opportunity during the afternoon to express his views on currency reform and severely criticized some of his republican colleagues. When the great beacon light on the dome blazed forth as darkness fell, thousands upon thousands were attracted to the brightly illuminated wings of the capitol where the two houses were to sit out the night. The big questions in dispute between the two houses being naturally the last to be adjusted, were postponed far into the night. From time to time short recesses were taken, but these were simply breathing spells, however, and soon the leaders were at it again harder than ever.

ARMY APPROPRIATION BILL PASSES THE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The house passed the army appropriation bill, with all the senate amendments, this evening, and the bill now goes to the president.

WANTS THEM ALL CONFIRMED.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The secretary of the navy is making strenuous efforts to secure the confirmation of all the officers of the navy affected by the new personnel bill. He has had a board working the past twenty-four hours ascertaining the exact place each officer has in the register under the new act, and the clerks have been busily engaged in preparing the nominations, which number nearly five hundred. These were submitted to the senate today and it is expected they will be confirmed en masse, because of the short time remaining of the session of congress.

CONGRATULATES MAJOR GENERAL OTIS AND ADMIRAL DEWEY.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Secretary Alger today sent the following congratulatory message to Major General Otis at Manila: "You have been nominated and confirmed as major general by brevet in the regular army. The president wishes this message of congratulation sent you, in which he cordially joins."

Late this afternoon Secretary Long sent the following cablegram to Admiral Dewey, immediately on being notified of his confirmation. "President adds his congratulations on your confirmation. Signed Long."

GENERAL MILES HAS COUNSEL.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The latest developments of the court of inquiry into the Miles' beef charges was the appearance today of Major Jesse Lee as counsel for the general commanding the army. Major Lee was introduced to the court by the recorder, Col. Davis, at the beginning of the afternoon session. He began to cross-examine witnesses at once and with the first witness antagonized the court to the extent of demanding the admission of certain letters as evidence, but was refused. The proceedings were not marked, however, by any evidence of an unpleasant friction between the court and the new counsel.

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Especially do men grow weak in spring season, and every one needs a spring medicine, take this best of spring remedies, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. It is not a patent medicine, but the prescription of a famous physician, and is therefore exactly adapted to cure. It has standing behind it the most famous and successful specialists in curing nervous, chronic or lingering diseases. Dr. Greene's Nervura, Place, Boston, Mass., and an added value and assurance of cure is given to this wonderful remedy because the Doctor can be consulted, without charge, about your case, personally or by writing to him.

SENOR SILVELA TO FORM A CABINET.

MADRID, March 3.—The Queen Regent, as the result of her consultation with the statesmen, generals and political leaders, informed Senor Sagasta that she desired to retain the present chamber and that she wished him to reconstruct the cabinet. Senor Sagasta replied that it was impossible for him to remain as premier without a dissolution of the chamber. Senor Montero Rios, president of the senate, declined for the same reason. Finally, Senor Silvela, the conservative leader, accepted the task, and it is expected that he will submit a conservative ministry to her majesty for her approval tomorrow.

ADMIRAL MONTEJO IN PRISON.

MADRID, March 3.—Admiral Montejó, who was in command of the Spanish squadron destroyed by Admiral Dewey in Manila bay, and the commander of the Cavite arsenal, were this evening incarcerated in the military prison pending trial for their conduct at Manila. The government has also ordered the prosecution of General Linares, who was in supreme command of the Spanish forces at Santiago at the capitulation to General Shafter.

SENTENCED TO BE HANGED.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., March 3.—Fredrick M. Brockhaus, charged with murder in the first degree as being an accomplice with Benjamin Willis in the murder of Daniel S. K. Lambert at Wilton on Dec. 17th, was found guilty today and sentenced to be hanged Sept. 6th, 1899.

SENATE RATIFIES EXTRADITION TREATY WITH MEXICO.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The senate has ratified the extradition treaty with Mexico, with a retroactive clause to cover cases that otherwise might have been punishable because of the lapse of the old treaty.

LORD HERSCHELL'S REMAINS TO BE TAKEN HOME IN A WARSHIP.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The United States government has proffered the use of a United States warship to convey the remains of Lord Herschell to Europe.

MAY ACCEPT THE MEDALS.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The president has signed the bill authorizing Admiral Selfridge and other officers of the United States navy to accept medals presented by the Russian government, and also the naval personnel bill.

NEW HAMPSHIRE POSTMASTERS.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—New Hampshire postmasters appointed today are as follows: Fred W. E. Sanborn at New Hampton and S. W. Libbey at Whitefield.

Do not put off the duty that ought to be done today. If your blood is out of order, take Hood's Sarsaparilla at once.



PENSION CHANGES.
Names of New England Men and Women Added to the Roll.
Washington, March 3.—The following pension changes resulting from the issue of Feb. 17, are announced:
Maine—Increase, Iddo B. Turner, East Friendship, \$16 to \$24. Original widow, etc. Emily Cahoon, Bath, \$8 to \$10.
Vermont—Additional, John White, Gayville, \$4 to \$12. Restoration and increase, George H. Kimball, Bethel, \$4 to \$10.
Massachusetts—Original, George E. Maker, Lowell, \$6, Henry Daggett, Rockport, \$6. Restoration and additional, Cyrus H. Weston, dead, Rutland, \$6 to \$12. Original, widows, etc. Ellen T. Ledy, Boston, \$12. Hannah O'Connor, Charlestown, \$8. Restoration and increase (special Feb. 18), Lavina Bradish, Boston, \$5.
Rhode Island—Restoration and reissue, George W. Paine, dead, Pawtucket, \$12. Original, widows, etc. Mary J. Paine, dead, Pawtucket, \$8. Minors of George W. Paine, Pawtucket, \$16.
Connecticut—Increase, Jeremiah H. Moosup, \$15 to \$24.

STOLE FROM THE MILLS.

Fall River, Mass., March 3.—Three women, operatives at the Barnaby gunnham mills, are under arrest for stealing fire-arms and silk in the skein from the mill. Other arrests are expected. Two of the women have been arraigned and held in bonds of \$1000 for appearance next Tuesday. They were charged with stealing yarns valued at \$112, and admitted guilt, in part, and said the taking of these yarns was commonly the help. The yarns were made up into rugs and sold. The thieves have been of daily occurrence for some time and the police were recently called in to ferret out the guilty parties.

BURNED REBEL SCHOONER.

Manila, March 3.—The United States gunboat Concord has arrived here after a week's cruise along the west coast of the island of Luzon. The only incident of her trip was the burning of a schooner loaded with supplies for rebels, at Dagupan, the terminus of the railroad. The natives fled and abandoned the town when the gunboats anchored in the bay.

POPE WILL BENEFIT.

Doctors Say Recent Operation Will Prolong the Pontiff's Life.

Rome, March 3.—The following bulletin was issued at 9 o'clock this morning: "The pope passed a quiet night, so that the patient was able to comply with the desire of his physicians and not change his position. His natural functions are normal, and his general condition is good."
"When the bandages were removed, it was found that the wound, with healing and taking its regular course."
"The pope takes food easily, and digests sufficient nourishment. His temperature is 37 centigrades, respiration 22, and pulse 79."

Dr. Lapponi, in an interview today, is quoted as saying he thought the operation would probably be advantageous to the pope's health and prolong his life beyond the age he would have reached if the operations had not been performed.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

Mayoralty.
The republican caucus will be held at the old court house on Court street from 4 to 8 o'clock on Monday evening, March 6th.
Per order of the City Committee,
W. H. MOORE, Chairman.
C. M. WATERHOUSE, Secretary.

WARD TOUR.

The republicans of ward four are requested to meet at the south ward room on Monday evening at 7 o'clock, March 6, to nominate a ticket to be supported at the municipal election.

C. W. HUMPHREYS, Chairman.
R. E. HANFORD, Sec.

A THOUSAND TONGUES.

Could not express the rapture of Anne E. Springer, of 1125 Howard street, Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption had completely cured her of a lingering cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"It soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at the Globe Grocery Co.'s Drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

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Digestion depends on digestive fluids or "ferments" secreted by certain glands. When the secretion becomes insufficient, indigestion results. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People cause these glands to resume their normal action and good digestion follows.

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Poor digestion often causes irregularity of the heart's action. This irregularity may be mistaken for real organic heart disease. A case in point: Mrs. Ellen Wilson, Newport, Ind., had suffered for four years with stomach trouble. The gases generated by the indigestion pressed on the heart, and caused an irregularity of its action. She had much pain in her stomach and heart, and was subject to frequent and severe choking spells which were most severe at night. Doctors were tried in vain; the patient became worse, despondent, and feared impending death. She noticed that in intervals in which her stomach did not annoy her, her heart's action became normal. Reasoning correctly that her digestion was alone at fault, she procured the proper medicine to treat that trouble and with immediate good results. Her appetite came back, the choking spells became less frequent and finally ceased. Her weight, which had been greatly reduced, was restored and she now weighs more than for years.

That others may know the means of cure we give the name of the medicine used—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. These pills contain all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood, and restore shattered nerves.

Sold by all druggists or sent postpaid by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y. Price, 50¢ per box; 6 boxes, \$2.50. A diet book sent FREE.

Introduction.
The readers of this paper need no introduction to the Frank Jones Brewing Co., or its products; when the statement is made by this reliable house that their new

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WITH increased facilities the subscriber is again prepared to take orders for the care of the city as may be entrusted to his care. He will also give careful attention to the grading and grading of them, also to the cleaning of monuments and headstones, and the removal of broken stones, and to the removal of the remains of the deceased to other cemeteries. He will also do all the work of the cemetery, and will prompt attention.

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Small advertisements at 10¢ per line. Solid without reply. Seven Words to a Line.

Such as Wants, For Sale and To Let. 50 cents per week. 25 cents one insertion.

WANTED—Case of bad health that H. P. A. N. S. will not benefit. Read 6 cents to H. P. A. N. S. Chemical Co., New York, for 10 sam ples and 1,000 testimonials.

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Piano for sale. High grade upright piano been used very little. Must be sold. Ad dress G. E. D. Box 315, Dorset, N. H.

Send 10 cents to us and we will send you a list of our Dandruff and Soap Cure. F. McKee, New N. H.

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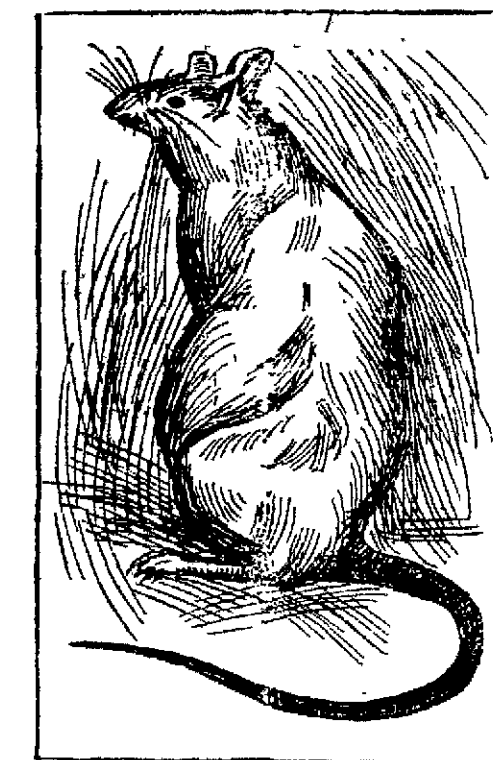
CAVES ON THE COAST WHERE CONTRABAND GOODS WERE STORED.

The Goods Were Stowed Away in the Caves and Removed Under Cover of the Night—Their Precautionary Consideration for the Donkeys.

A very curious feature of the coast of England, where rocky or wild, is the trenches and banded up paths from the caves along the coast. These are noticeable in Devon and Cornwall and along the Bristol channel. That terrible sea front consists of precipitous walls of rock, with only here and there a dip, where a brawling stream has sawed its course down to the sea, and here there is, perhaps, a sandy shore of diminutive proportions and the rocks around are pierced in all directions with caverns. The smugglers formerly ran their goods into these caves, when the weather permitted, or the preventive men were not on the look-out. They stowed away their goods in the caves and gave notice to the farmers and gentry of the neighborhood, all of whom were provided with numerous donkeys, which were henceforth sent down to the caves, and the kegs and bales were removed under cover of the night or of storm. As an excuse for keeping droves of donkeys it was pretended that the sea sand and the help served as admirable dressing for the land, and no doubt so they did. The trains of asses sometimes came up laden with sacks of sand, but not infrequently with kegs of brandy.

Now a wary preventive man might watch too narrowly the proceedings of these trains of asses. Accordingly, squires, yeomen and farmers alike set to work to cut deep ways in the face of the down, along the slopes of the hills, and bank them up so that the whole caravans of laden beasts might travel up and down absolutely unseen from the sea and greatly screened from the land side. Unquestionably the sunken ways and high banks are a great protection against the weather. So they were represented to be, and no doubt greatly were the good folk commended for their consideration for the beasts and their drivers, and thus at great cost shifting them off from the violence of the gale. Nevertheless, it can hardly be doubted that concealment from the eyes of the coast guard was sought by this means quite as much, if not more, than the sheltering of the beasts of burden from the weather.

Queer Kangaroo Rat.
A rat whose movements would have led one to believe him second cousin to a kangaroo has just met his end



in Belmont, Mass. He was caught in a trap set by Mr. Harrison, a poultryer, whose small chickens had been disappearing at a rate depressing to his thrift. Instead of walking about in proper four-legged way, the rat hopped from place to place. Investigation showed that its two front legs were missing, and a post-mortem showed that the rat had been born minus forelegs and had to hop his way through all his chicken-eating life.

How the Chinese Do Things.
The Chinese do everything backward. They exactly reverse the usual order of civilization, says the Richmond-Christian Advocate.

Note, first, that the Chinese compass points to the south instead of the north. Men wear skirts, the women trousers. The men wear their hair long, and the women wear it short. The men carry on dressmaking, and the women carry burdens. The spoken language is not written and the written language is not spoken. Books are read backward. What we call foot-notes are inserted at the top of the page.

The Chinese dress in white at funerals, and in mourning at weddings, while old women always serve as bridesmaids. The Chinese launch their vessels sideways, and mount their horses from the off side.

The Chinese begin their dinner with dessert and end with soup and fish. In China the hands of the clocks are immovable; it is the dial that revolves.

Tattooed Royalty.
Foreign gossip says that Queen Olga of Greece has an anchor tattooed on her shoulder as a token of her affection for her father, the late Grand Duke Constantine of Russia, and that Princess Waldemar of Denmark, wife of the minor son of King Christian, is also marked in like fashion, with the addition of a crown.

Memorial tablets have been placed to mark the headquarters of Prescott and Richemont at Newport.

PAPER BAGS FOR TRAVELERS.

A Way to Protect Your Hat from Dust and Cinders While on a Train.

Comfort in travelling is an important consideration, and the newest idea for a journey is one worth regarding. Lodging railroad cinders and dust is something not to be thought of. When a thoroughly clean railroad trip is possible the millennium will have arrived and this period is still, according to all beliefs, a long distance off. But, owing to a simple thought of a practical man, the traveller can now protect his or her hat, which was out of the question before.

A humble paper bag, obtained from the nearest grocer, is the god of the machine. This is folded compactly and stowed away in the pocket (in the hand bag or purse if the traveller is a woman and is pocketless). Before the cars start the bag is opened, the hat placed therein, the bag pinned across its mouth and the whole laid in the rack. Thereafter, until the destination is all but reached, the traveller need have no thought of his headgear, for no dust or cinders can reach it. It will be found in the best of condition upon opening. So simple is this device that it is a wonder it was never thought of before.

The Terrible Machete.
Much has been said of the terrible machete, a deadly weapon indeed in the hands of a desperate man, and when used against a defenseless person. The machete was never intended for a weapon of warfare; it is an instrument of husbandry carried by the Cuban peasant in times of peace, and is his one familiar daily companion. It cuts his fire-wood, aids him in building his hut, hews his path through the mangrove, and performs many other offices. The machete is a straight, heavy blade about two feet long, with a wooden or bone handle, having no guard; consequently it is utterly unsuited as a weapon to be used in a conflict with an armed man. The Cuban, of course, by reason of his long familiarity with the instrument, is an adept in its use, and its effect upon a group of unarmed workmen is truly terrible. It is in the foray against the defenseless and unarmed that the most serious work of the machete has been done in the island of Cuba.

The Increase of Nations.
While European Russia will need only forty-five years or so, Germany about sixty-five years, Austria-Hungary seventy years, England eighty years, and Italy 110 years, it will take France over 860 years to double its population! What signifies the loss of Alsace-Lorraine 1,500,000 souls compared with the loss France suffers every day? In the last five years the German population has increased by 3,000,000, who are every one fully German; France meanwhile has increased her people by only 175,000, who are not even of French nationality. The increase of a nation is of the utmost importance to the success of its country. It has meant much in the nineteenth century; it will mean more in the twentieth.

The Pope's "Golden Rose."
The golden rose which the Pope gives every year to a royal lady distinguished for loyalty both to the Pope and to the Church of Rome, is made of pure gold, and is valued at \$10,000. There is a golden rose on the center, in which the Pope pours balsam, this being surrounded with smaller rosebuds and leaves, all of the purest gold, and chased with exquisite workmanship.

Peculiarities of Running Water.
Running water oscillates and whirls in its current because it impinges against its banks and is perpetually diverted from its forward motion and because the center of a river flows faster than its sides. The sides of a river flow more tardily than its center because they pass against its banks and are delayed in their current by this friction.

Divisions of the Tongue.
The tongue is divided into three regions of taste, each of which has its own special function. The tip of the tongue is chiefly sensible to pungent and acid tastes, the middle portion to sweets or bitters, while the back is confined entirely to the flavors of roast meats, butter, oils and rich and fatty substances.

The World's Armies.
During the most peaceful years there are in the world 3,700,000 men who are withdrawn from productive occupations to act as soldiers. The pay, equipments, food, and clothing of these men cost the world's taxpayers a sum amounting to nearly \$8,000,000 a day.

The Automatic Doctor.
A new medicine cabinet has numbered pockets for the reception of bottles, with dials to indicate the number of the bottle to be used next, and an alarm clock to indicate the hour, drawers being provided for powders and pills.

Quick Mail Service.
Letters dropped into a box in Paris are delivered in Berlin within an hour and a half, and sometimes within thirty-five minutes. They are whisked through tubes by pneumatic power.

The Vicissitudes of Time.
By the time a man has learned to speak with discretion and weigh his words carefully a younger generation springs up, thrusts him in a corner, and will not let him speak at all.

Forest Lands of Sweden.
Sweden now holds more than 12,000,000 acres of forest lands belonging to the state, an increase of over 3,000,000 acres in thirteen years.



AN OUTDOOR PIGPEN.

Method of Caring for Hogs in Hot Weather Without Annoyance.

Swine thrive much better out of doors during warm, summer weather. But a pasture lot is not always available, while hogs at large about the premises are unmitigated nuisances. It is possible, however, to provide summer quarters for swine out of doors after the fashion shown in the accompanying illustration, and that, too, easily and cheaply. Five pens are here grouped under one shed roof, that is battened, not shingled. Yards in the



rear give access to the ground, while the front is sufficiently open to give pure air all the time. A hinged board gives access to the trough, that projects slightly beyond the front. Such a structure can be made longer or shorter, to accommodate any number of hogs, while the pens may be made without floorings, if preferred, thus lessening the expense.

The Sow and Pigs.
See if the sow has any milk and whether the bag is caked. If caked, grease well with equal parts lard and coal oil, as warm as can be applied. I wring a flannel cloth out of hot water as hot as I can bear it, and lay on the bag of the sow. You will be surprised to see how the cake will yield to the application. One application is nearly always sufficient and as soon as the sow gets up give her a warm, weak gruel, or dish water and keep that up at each feeding time until the sow is freed from fever. She will then have a good appetite; then begin to increase the slop in richness and quantity and you can then begin to feed whole corn, soaked in better than dry; then you can see the pigs grow, and be sure to add all the milk you can get to your slop. As soon as the little pigs begin to turn around, place a shallow trough outside of the sow's pen and pour a little milk in it for the pigs, and they will soon begin to drink with relish. Then feed a little soaked corn as soon as they can begin to crack it; they enjoy it. I like to feed the pigs away from their dam, and at ten weeks old they are ready to wean. I aim to give the pigs at this age such feed as comes nearest milk. This is the time to lay the foundation for a profitable hog, which consists largely of bone and muscle. Nature is our best example, and milk is the food nature provided, and we should feed such food as comes nearest fulfilling that want to be successful as breeders and feeders. The size of the litter at this time should be largely bone and muscle, and not fat; and to produce this result requires a bulky and not a concentrated food. A range of blue grass, alfalfa or clover aids in giving a good bone and capacity for rounding up and putting on the flesh when the time comes, with a richer and more concentrated food. A profitable hog must have a well-developed abdomen, and we should respond to the demands of the pig at the different stages of its life to accomplish this. The pig should never be allowed to stop in growth until he is ready for the market.

Sheep Notes.
The Rural Canadian says that fifteen acres of rape will fatten 300 sheep, or twenty sheep to the acre, if corn and oats are given with the rape. It is being used as a summer food when the season is too dry for a full crop of grass, and if cut four inches from the ground when two feet high, it will sprout and grow out again, and several successive crops may thus be grown and cut. It is, however, more used as pasture than for mowing. The crop reaches its full growth in two months, but the sheep may be turned upon it or it may be cut when but partly grown, if it is needed. A good way to use it is to cut and feed it lightly to the sheep at first, and then turn them in for an hour a day until they become accustomed to it, as there is a liability of bloating if allowed to eat too heartily of it at first. Probably cutting is the most economical way of using it where the field is near by and labor is not too expensive, but pasturing involves but little labor, and is better adapted to large flocks. In fattening sheep it is a very good food, but ground grain should be fed in addition every night, and oats are thought the best grain for this purpose by the Canadians. It may be sown in May or June, using three or four pounds of seed to the acre. Some sow it among corn at the last time of cultivating, and let the lambs into the corn field when the rape is about one foot high. The lambs do not hurt the corn any. One of the best devices for feeding loose oats and hay to sheep is to place the feed just outside the sheep lot fence made of palings placed such a distance apart that the sheep can reach through to eat.

The Sow at Farrowing.
Never feed inside of twelve hours of the time of farrowing; then give warm slop made of one gallon of milk or water, one quart bran and one-half pint of oil cake or two tablespoons of raw linseed. Next time increase a little with shorts or oat chop. Use no laxative. After the third day she may be given as much three times daily as she will take.

The Farm Water Supply.
This is often a most perplexing question to solve. Where a slight waterfall can be secured a hydraulic ram, of small cost, will fill the house tank in the attic whose pressure will supply water in any room, and another barn tank can furnish pressure for supply of stock in stables; fields may also be easily irrigated.

The Royal Ann Cherry.
The Royal Ann cherry of the Pacific coast is known in the eastern states under the name of Napoleon. It is a magnificent fruit of the largest size, pale yellow with bright red cheek, very productive, and does well in parts of Ohio. Cherries do not come true from the pits but trees grown from the pits of good fruit are generally of good, edible quality.

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The World's Corn Crop Approximates 2,300 Million Bushels Annually.
Of which the United States produces 82 per cent.

NEEDS NEW METHODS.

Why a Certain New England Farm Pays Little.

A young man complains that his farming does not pay. With his father he works a farm of 75 acres in a beautiful Connecticut town, located five miles from the Sound, and equally distant from a tide-water river, with a good, strong loam, somewhat stony, says the New England Homestead. There are 12 acres of mowing 10 acres devoted to general crops, 35 in pasture, balance woodland. The place is worth \$7,500, or \$1,000 per acre, including buildings, and a photograph shows the house and barn to be in nice repair, beautifully situated behind magnificent elms. The place is owned free and clear. The young man says he works 3,000 hours a year, and his father 2,000 hours, while the mother attends to matters indoors, but that they hardly come out even; in some years he thinks they run behind, and he is quite sure that the majority of farmers in that locality are operating at a loss.

Upon inquiry, we find that no accounts are kept, that the returns from the farm are at best only guesswork, and it is admitted that a few of the neighbors are making money on small fruit, chickens and retailing milk. The young man says he keeps seven cows and three horses, some chickens, cuts 25 tons of hay that is fed out on the place, two acres of corn yielded 200 bushels of ears and a lot of fodder, two acres of potatoes were almost a failure, an acre of strawberries and another of raspberries yielded poorly last season and what few apples there were rotted badly. This year promised better than '97, and last year was a little better than '96, when he figures that the total sales were \$600, including for milk \$300, calves \$50, strawberries \$33, raspberries \$67, eggs \$50, chickens \$24, wood \$28, potatoes \$15, apples \$15, miscellaneous \$20. He estimates that he paid out \$350, including for hired help \$100, feed \$100, incidentals \$100, fertilizers and taxes \$50. He thus estimates a net cash return from the farm of \$250, besides \$100 worth of its produce consumed in the family and household worth \$150, or a total of \$500 for the year's work of father and son.

From his letters and from our own special knowledge of that town and its farms, we are forced to conclude that our young friend doesn't know when he is well off. Hundreds of New England farmers are doing better than he is without half as good a chance. With 3 cents per quart at the door for milk the year round, most dairymen would think they had a snap. They would double and treble their number of cows and would make their farm feed them by an intensive rotation of forage crops and use of the silo. They would rip up part of the old pasture and make a few acres of it produce as much feed as the whole pasture now does. Poultry should be increased, vegetables and fruits produced more liberally, only good cows kept, and probably two horses would do all the business. Lots of our readers will say that this young man has a snap if he only makes the most of his opportunities.

His figures are probably quite unreliable, in the absence of any record. Both father and son have a comparatively easy time of it, especially eight months in the year, compared to the mechanic who works in a close shop 10 hours a day for \$1.50 to \$2.50, and never knows how soon he will be out of a job or when he will get another. The average mechanic of late years has barely managed to exist, and few there be who can show any gain at the close of the year after paying rent and living expenses. We believe that if our young friend would charge the farm with all the expense and labor put onto it, and credit the farm at fair market prices with all that is taken from it (whether consumed by the family or sold to other consumers makes no difference), the result would be a balance on the right side sufficient to pay 6 to 8 per cent. on the capital invested in the business after allowing good value for the services of father and son.

Lighting a Road with a Wagon.
Such a thing is easy to read and of great utility, and is one of the farm necessities at this season. Electric steel wheels of various widths and height are light, of easy draft and improve rather than cut up roads. For driving over the fields of a farm, nothing equals broad-tired wagons, while for compacting gravelly roads they are unexcelled. Broad-tired wagons are road makers rather than road destroyers, low down wagons save time and strength, while draft is made easier. Various styles of this kind of a wagon have now been so perfected that their low price puts them within the reach of all.

Association Rooms Open from 9:00 to 10:30 A. M. and from 1:00 to 6:00 P. M. Men's meeting at 4:00 P. M. Open week days from 9:00 A. M. to 10:00 P. M.

SALVATION ARMY.
Meetings will be held all day in the hall on Market street. Hall drill at 7:30 A. M. Holiness meeting at 10:00 A. M. Free and easy at 3:00 P. M. Salvation meeting at 8:00 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.
Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:00 P. M.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.
Rev. D. F. Faulkner, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 P. M. Evening service at 7:00 P. M. All are cordially invited.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.
Rev. Geo. W. Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. Prayer meeting at 11:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:00 P. M. 7:30 P. M. All are welcome.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Rev. L. H. Thayer, pastor. Morning service at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:15 P. M. Vesper service at 7:30 P. M. All are welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. George W. Gile, pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school in the chapel at 12:00 P. M. Prayer meetings Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:45 P. M. All are invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Rev. Robert L. Dunton, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 11:45 A. M. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3:40 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 P. M. Prayer and social meeting Friday evening.

OLD ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.
Church Hill, Rev. Henry E. Hovey, rector. Sunday at 10:30 A. M., morning prayer, litany and sermon. Holy communion, first Sunday in every month and the greater festivals, 12:00 P. M. Holy days, 8:30 A. M. Evensong, Sundays, 3:40 P. M. Fridays, Ember days, in chapel at 5:00 P. M. Parish Sunday school in chapel at 3:00 P. M. At the evensong service, both in church and chapel, the seats are free. At all the services strangers are cordially welcomed and provided for.

CHRIST CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.
Madison street, head of Austin street, Rev. Charles L. V. Brice, rector. On Sundays, holy communion at 7:30 A. M., or holy communion at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Evensong at 7:30 P. M. On week days, matins (daily) at 9:00 A. M., evensong (daily) at 5:00 P. M. On Friday, evensong at 7:30 P. M., holy communion, Thursday at 7:30 A. M. On holy days, holy communion at 7:30 P. M. Seats free and unappropriated. Good music. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
State street, Rev. Wm. Warren, pastor. Morning prayer at 10:30 A. M. Preaching service 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Court street, Rev. Myron Tyler, pastor. Morning service at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. P. C. C. E. meeting on Tuesday evening and prayer meeting on Friday evening at 7:30 P. M. All are welcome.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—UNIVERSALIST.
Pleasant street, corner Junkies avenue. No pastor. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Administration of the holy sacrament the first Sunday in the month at 11:45 A. M. Good music. Y. P. C. U. meetings every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the vestry. Strangers are especially welcome.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.
Rev. Alfred Gooding, pastor. Morning service at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 3:00 P. M. All are invited.

ADVENT CHURCH.
C. M. Seamans, pastor. Social service at 10:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Loyal Workers meeting at 6:00 P. M. Prayer service at 7:15 P. M. All are invited.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.
Rev. Eugene M. O'Callaghan, pastor. Services at 8:30 and 10:30 A. M. Vespers at 3:00 P. M.

PEOPLE'S MISSION.
South ward room. Rev. A. W. Adams, pastor. Sunday school at 3:00 P. M. Praise meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching at 8:00 P. M. Praise and prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8:00 P. M. Cottage meeting on Friday evening at 8:00 P. M. The public are cordially invited to attend these services, which are free to all.

Y. M. C. A.
Association rooms open from 9:00 to 10:30 A. M. and from 1:00 to 6:00 P. M. Men's meeting at 4:00 P. M. Open week days from 9:00 A. M. to 10:00 P. M.

SALVATION ARMY.
Meetings will be held all day in the hall on Market street. Hall drill at 7:30 A. M. Holiness meeting at 10:00 A. M. Free and easy at 3:00 P. M. Salvation meeting at 8:00 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.
Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Preaching at 10:45 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:00 P. M.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.
Rev. D. F. Faulkner, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school at 12:00 P. M. Epworth League meeting at 6:00 P. M. Evening service at 7:00 P. M. All are cordially invited.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.
Rev. Geo. W. Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. Prayer meeting at 11:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:00 P. M. 7:30 P. M. All are welcome.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.
Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Sunday school at 1:00 P. M. Preaching at 2:00 P. M. Prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.
Rev. Geo. W. Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. Prayer meeting at 11:30 A. M. Preaching at 2:00 P. M. 7:30 P. M. All are welcome.

"On Guard" the Watchword.
"Everything is about ready, ain't it, Sister Duncan?" asked the preacher who was going to perform the marriage ceremony in Cabbage Creek Valley. "No, Sam ain't come to guard the back window yet. Tom's at the front door an' Eli's at the gate, an' as soon as Sam gets to the back window everything will be ready. You see, John Henry is sorter timid like, an' when it comes to the punch of the game his courage must fail him an' he mou't try to make a dash for the woods. Povy knows this an' she ain't takin' no chances. She's got the boys posted whar they can s'op John Henry if anything should happen."

Parado.
The man who treasures up his speech— To cite a general rule— Is either a philosopher, Or else he is a fool.

The man who talks and talks and talks Belongs to the same class; He's wiser, even, than a sage, Or else he is an ass.

BAD BREATH
"I have been using CASCARETS and as a result my breath is sweet and my stomach is comfortable. I was bothered with a bad cold and my breath was very bad. After taking a few doses of Cascarets I was improved wonderfully. They are a great help in the family." W. H. M. K. A. N. O. K.
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CHECKLIST NOTICE.

The Board of Registrars of Voters for the City of Portsmouth hereby give notice that they will be in session at the Common Council Chamber at City Hall, in said city, on the following dates, viz: February 23d, 6th, 10th, 14th, 17th, 21st, 24th, 28th, March 3d, 6th, 1899, at the following hours: 9 A. M. to 12 M., 2 P. M. to 5 P. M., 7:30 P. M. to 9 P. M., for the purpose of making up and correcting the Checklists of the several wards in said city to be used at the City Election to be held on March 14th, 1899. The said Board will be in session at the same place on March 14th, 1899, from 8 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 P. M. to 4 P. M. for the purpose of granting certificates to those legal voters whose names are omitted from the lists. Voters must bear in mind that it is their personal duty to see that their names are on the lists by presenting themselves at some meeting of the Board. This clause will be strictly enforced.
LORENZO T. BURNHAM, Chairman.
EDWARD BEWLEY, Clerk.

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Travelling via Fall River Line, returning via rail.
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THE HERALD.

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1899.

A WOMAN'S WEAPON.

What is a woman's weapon?
I read, "it is a pen."
But grievous things may happen—
Ere she has sukked it out.
The cat may eat the tempting cream,
The mouse bite 'neath her chair,
And unless that woman's "pen,"
The cat or mouse to scare.

What is a woman's weapon?
"It is a smile," you say,
But will she use that weapon
If rats should come her way?
Why mount the table or the chair,
If woman can beguile—
These pests, without a single shriek
But just a winning smile!

What is a woman's weapon?
The poet says "a tear,"
But will it scare the hungry tramp
And make him quail with fear?
And if she should with tearful eyes,
Refuse him bread and meat
Will woman's "tears" encourage him
To hurry down the street?

What is a woman's weapon?
It is the broom, I say,
A weapon she with skill can wield
With a despotic sway.
The cat will hide, the mouse will run,
Rats flee from room to room,
And hungry men will quail with fear—
When woman wields her broom.

—CLARA A. LYNN.

PROBATE COURT.

The following is a part of the business transacted at the last session of the probate court for Rockingham county, for the week ending March 1st:

Wills Proved.—Of Mary A. Lane, Hampton, Meribah A. Mace, executrix. Administration Granted.—In estates of: Veranus M. Trafton, Portsmouth, Frederick M. Sise, administrator; Lucy A. Edgerly, Newmarket, Charles A. Morse, administrator.

Commissioner Appointed.—Horace M. Lane, estate of John H. Johnson, Hampton.

PRESENTATIONS.

The Portsmouth Yacht club was presented at its last meeting with a beautiful writing table, fully supplied with inkwells, stationery, blotters, and pens, by Mr. Walter Brown, one of the most popular members of the club. Mr. Brown's thoughtfulness will be greatly appreciated the coming season by the yachtsmen and friends who will frequent the commodious club house. Mr. Horace P. Montgomery has also presented the club with a beautiful marine picture.

ITS PROGRESS CHECKED.

"I think a great deal of Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have taken it for indigestion and nervousness and have recommended it to others. I was recently troubled with rheumatism but I began taking Hood's which soon checked its progress and cured it." Joseph Fishen, 21 Loomis street, Montpelier, Vermont.

Hood's Pills are non-irritating and the only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham for the week ending March 1st, as recorded in the registry of deeds:

Portsmouth—Everett N. McNabb to Clarence I. Sherwood, land on Rockingham street, \$1; last grantor to Edgar C. Frye, land on Rockingham street, \$1. Stratham—Viana M. Spear, Somerville, Mass. to Frank P. Smith, lands, \$1.

QUARTERLY BANQUET.

The quarterly banquet of the Mechanics' Fire society was held in the Colonial dining hall at the Rockingham house on Friday with Dr. A. B. Sherburne as host. A large number of members were present and enjoyed the occasion. In the absence of the regular president, Hon. Joseph O. Hobbs of North Hampton was elected president pro tem.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Today, and every day next week, our advertised agents, the Globe Grocery Co., will sell you a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, "The Best Salve in the World," and guarantee it to cure Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chills, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or money refunded.

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OBSEQUIES.

The funeral services over the remains of Peter Baxon were held on Wednesday afternoon from his late home on Rogers' road, Kittery. Rev. Mr. Hall, pastor of the Congregational church at Kittery Point, officiating. Laterment took place in Orchard Grove cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, nerve building remedy for a lazy liver.

SPLIT HIS HEAD OPEN.

Step Mother Uses a Club on
Her Son.

Physician Made Four Visits Before
Pronouncing Boy Out of Danger.

A man by the name of Locke, hailing from East Hye, called at the police station this morning and reported that a boy in that town was being cruelly beaten by his step mother.

Robert E. Hodgkins was called in and to him Mr. Locke told the story of the young lad's sufferings; at the hands of his inhuman step mother. It seems that he is a bright boy and willing to do about right as the general thing but nothing that he does suits his step-mother, or, who is in the habit of striking him with anything she happens to hold in her hands.

One day this week the women struck the boy over the head with a club and felled him to the floor. A terrible gash was cut in his head from which the blood flowed in a stream. The woman became frightened and sent for a doctor who took several stitches in the wound.

The physician was obliged to make four visits before he pronounced the boy out of danger.

Mr. Hodgkins swore out a warrant for the woman's arrest and she will be brought here for trial. It is said that the woman was tried for a like offense some time ago and still has a suspended jail sentence hanging over her head.

AGENT WILLIAMS' DOUBTS IT

Thinks Wreckage Found Not From
the Lost Portland

Bosrox, Mass., March 4th.—Agent C. F. Williams of the Portland Steamship company is not inclined to believe that the bulk of the lost steamer Portland can be in the vicinity of Stellwagon bank, 17 miles from Thatchers island.

"I can't bring myself to believe the Portland lies off there," said he yesterday morning after he had finished reading the reports of the experience of the crew of the fishing schooner Mary Cabrel in hauling up various kinds of wreckage at that point.

"It looks entirely improbable, agent Williams continued, 'for all the wreckage that has been found of the Portland has been on the back side of cape Cod. There hasn't been a single piece of wreckage seen between Thatchers island and cape Cod, and neither has a single piece of the Portland's wreckage been found on the inside of cape Cod."

"I believe the Portland lies in the sand back of cape Cod, in 30 or 40 fathoms of water.

"Those fishermen undoubtedly got hold of some kind of wreckage, but I cannot believe it was the Portland's."

CAPTURED REBEL SCHOONER.

Gunboat Concord Destroyed Vessel
and Supplies at Dagupan.

MANILA, March 3.—5.10 p. m.—The U. S. gunboat Concord has arrived here, after a week's cruise along the west coast of the island of Luzon.

The only incident of her trip was the burning of a schooner loaded with supplies for rebels, at Dagupan, the terminus of the railroad.

The natives fled and abandoned the town when the gunboat anchored in the lag.

AWARDED DAMAGES.

Plaintiff in the Storey Case Against
the Railroad Given \$3190.

In the supreme court at Manchester on Friday, before Judge Peaslee, arguments were made in the case of Storey against the railroad and shortly before noon the case was given to the jury. The jury returned a verdict early in the afternoon, giving the plaintiff damages in the sum of \$3190.

NEW HAMPSHIRE G. A. R.

Thirty-second Annual Encampment to
Be Held April 12 and 13.

The thirty-second annual encampment of the New Hampshire G. A. R. will be held in Representatives' hall in the state house, Concord on Wednesday and Thursday, April 12 and 13, next. The usual interest in the gathering is being evinced by the veterans, and it will doubtless be largely attended.

ADDRESS TO THE YOUNG.

The third address in Rev. George W. Gile's lecture course to young people will be given on Sunday evening at the Middle street church.

The theme will be "The Keeping of the Heart," and a cordial invitation is extended to those interested to be present.

The music by the quartet will be special.

CITY BRIEFS.

Sloppy traveling.
Tomorrow will be the third Sunday in Lent.

There is very little ice in the river these days.

Things were very lively in political circles on Friday evening.

The small boy has had to lay his marbles on the shelf for a few days.

The Easter sale of the Baptist society will combine many novel features.

Work is on the increase at the shoe factory and more help is being called in.

Several candidates are already mentioned for the school superintendency.

The schools in Kittery closed on Friday afternoon for the regular spring vacation.

Many people took advantage of yesterday's opportunity for a farewell sleighride.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. netted \$92.19 by their turkey dinner of Thursday.

All the nominations made by the republicans on Friday evening were made by acclamation.

The "S. G." London is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

Lieut. Col. W. J. Cozens assisted at the Salvation army meetings on Friday afternoon and evening.

The selectmen of Rye have voted another delay in granting the electric railroad rights in the town.

At the Pearl street church on Sunday evening the pastor will give a Bible reading upon "A Chime of Bible Bells."

Have your shoes repaired by John W. Mott, 24 Congress street. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hand sewed work a specialty.

The Conservatory orchestra is to be present and participate in a vesper service at the Unitarian church on Sunday evening.

March always was famous in New England for bringing a most generous supply of weather, including all known varieties.

The police have a warrant for the arrest of a well known young man made out at the instance of the parents of a young girl.

The men working on the barge Elmwood struck on Friday owing to some disagreement in relation to the price for taking out the coal.

The public generally will be glad to learn that Justin V. Hanson who has been suffering with the grippe will be able to be out on Monday.

Miss Frances Stimson of Kittery, a pupil at Bliss Business college, has accepted a position in Boston, and will leave for that city to assume it.

Agent Robert E. Hodgkins of the S. P. C. A. has returned from Northwood Narrows where he was called to investigate an alleged cruelty to an old horse.

John E. Kent of Newmarket has Lady Cushman, owned by Dr. Ham of this city, in training. She is a sister to Lord Brino and has a great burst of speed.

The Court street Christian parish is preparing to give a hot turkey supper on Thursday, March 9th, from six to eight o'clock. An entertainment is to follow.

A movement is on foot to secure open air concerts for York, same to be held on Boon Island every Thursday evening if we can secure the building of a bridge thereto, which is as necessary as some of the roads we have.—York Courant.

Marshal Entwistle received a postal from Marshal Eaton of Nashua this morning asking him to be on the lookout for a brown mare weighing 900 pounds, a Demoguel wagon and gray robe, which were stolen in that city Wednesday.

Major Atkinson of Boston, Capt. Campbell and his soldiers of Portsmouth, and the members of the Salvation Army of this city will hold a meeting at the Advent church next Monday evening, to which the public are cordially invited to attend.—Dover Democrat.

A party is being made up in this city to go to Portsmouth on the evening of March 17, to attend the lecture and concert at Music hall in that place. The address is to be delivered by Michael J. Dwyer, A. M., who will take for his subject "An Evening With Thomas Moore."

—Dover paper.

One interesting feature of the illustrated lecture and concert to be given in Music hall, March 17th, entitled "An Evening With Thomas Moore," will be the singing of some of Moore's famous melodies while the hall is in darkness, brightened only by the magnificent stereopticon pictures of persons and places described in the melodies which will be exhibited during the singing.

MRS. JOHN E. YEATON.

Mrs. John E. Yeaton, a well known Newcastle lady died at her home in that town this forenoon after a short illness. Deceased leaves a husband and two sons to mourn her loss.

PERSONALS.

Postmaster W. O. Sides continues to improve.

J. Warren Towle, Esq., of Exeter, was here on Friday.

George F. Barnham of Boston was a visitor in town on Friday.

Mate J. L. Vennard, U. S. N., was reported as improving on Friday.

Mrs. Lavinia G. Jackson, celebrated her eightieth birthday on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hanscom have been passing a few days in Boston.

Mr. Charles E. Dodge is restricted to his home on Deer street by illness.

Mr. Arthur Astor Carey visited his summer home at Little Harbor on Friday.

Miss Brewster of the Farragut school is still restricted to her residence by illness.

County Commissioner Washington Culby of Concordery was here on Friday.

Col. R. N. Elwell of Exeter, collector of customs at this port, was here on Friday.

The friends of William H. Flynn will be pleased to learn that he is rapidly improving in health.

Ex-Alderman Charles E. Hodgdon is confined to his house for a few days by a severely sprained foot.

Mr. Lincoln J. Brown, formerly deputy sheriff at Seabrook, was here on Friday calling on friends.

James A. Akerman of this city and Etta F. Colby of Boston were united in marriage in this city today.

News was received here on Friday that General Hyde of Bath, Me., had been taken suddenly ill in Washington.

William F. Harrington of Manchester was here on Friday on business connected with the Portsmouth Brewing Co.

Evart Jansen Wendell was a member of a party which left New York on Friday on the Paris for a trip to Porto Rico and Cuba.

Herbert E. Hunt, twine clerk at the Rockingham, goes to Rockville, Me., today, Saturday, to spend Sunday with his family.

Joseph Foster, Jr., of this city is entered in the 45 yard low hurdle race at the Boston college games in Mechanics hall this evening.

Lieut. Commander James K. Cogswell of the first lighthouse district is passing a few days with his family on Livermore street.

Ex-Supt. J. C. Simpson of the public schools will leave this city March 16 for his new duties at Boston, and until then, or until his successor is appointed he will act in his old position.

INSTALLATION AND BANQUET.

The new officers of Lucullus company, U. R. K. P., were installed on Friday evening, the 3d inst., by Major General C. H. Griffiths of Newmarket, assisted by Brigadier General C. B. Hoyt and Staff Officer Major William P. Robinson of this city. The installation took place in Pythian hall before nearly every member of the local commandery. The new officers installed were as follows:

Chaplain, Charles F. Hussey;
First Lieutenant, R. E. Hannaford;
Second Lieutenant, H. A. Freeman;
Recorder, Sir Knight J. W. Rogers;
Treasurer, Sir Knight A. H. Entwistle;

Guard, Sir Knight A. L. Plimney;
Sentinel, Sir Knight R. E. Smith.

A complimentary banquet followed the ceremony, which was given by the new officers. Speech-making and story-telling were indulged in and a very pleasant evening passed. Lieutenant J. M. Smith of Major Gen. A. K. P. Harvey's staff was present as a guest of the local company.

WILL BE ISSUED MARCH 30.

The New Hampshire Weekly Gazette is to issue a handsome Easter number on March 30th. An extra edition of 4000 copies will be issued in a sixteen page form, with a magnificent four page cover printed in colors. It is well illustrated and will prove one of the biggest enterprises in the newspaper line that has ever been given the local reading public.

It will prove a most excellent opportunity for advertisers to make their spring announcements.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Miss Mary Watkins celebrated her 11th birthday at the home of her aunt, Miss Garrett on Deer street, on Friday afternoon, from 4.30 to 7.30 o'clock. The following little friends were present to do honor to the occasion. Florence Garrett, Helen Garrett, Blanche Bell, Mabel Southery, Flossie Lord, Hattie Biltrock, Marion Bell, Gretchen Heits Wymens Brown, Sherman T. Ward, Philip B. Sanderson, Editha Grant, Beniah Watkins.

No To-Bee for Fifty Cents.
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NOMINATIONS MADE.

Republicans Name Candidates To Be
Supported at Municipal Election.

Republican caucuses were held in four of the five wards of the city on Friday evening and candidates nominated to be supported at the coming municipal election. There was considerable interest shown and a large number of voters present in each of the wards. There was no friction and everything passed off smoothly. The tickets as made up by the different ward committees, were nominated by acclamation. The nominees are as follows:

Ward One.

Aldermen, Alfred C. Hoyt, Albert H. Entwistle, William E. Peirce.
Common Councilmen, Albert M. Pray, Valentine A. Hett, Freeman B. Garrett, Robert M. Herrick, Eben H. Blaisdell, Joseph O. Pettigrew.

Overseer of the Poor, Edwin Underhill.

Assessors of Taxes, Charles W. Shannon, Joseph W. Marden, Thomas R. Martin.

Ward Two.

Aldermen, John K. Bates, James A. Borthwick, Harry B. Yeaton.
Common Councilmen, Edward Bawley, Barpee Wood, Howard O. Nelson, Everett L. Marston, Charles W. Brewster, William C. Cotton.

Assessors of Taxes, Lewis G. Davis, Mark W. Ayers, Warren P. Webster.

Overseer of the Poor, Charles P. Abbott.

Ward Three.

Alderman, John Hallam.
Common Councilmen, John Goodrich, Frank P. Rand.

Assessor of Taxes, William Shuttlesworth.

Overseer of the Poor, Arthur J. Freeman.

Ward Five.

Alderman, William P. Robinson.
Common Councilmen, John Leary, George S. Chandler.

Assessor of Taxes, James W. Watkins.

Overseer of the Poor, Bernard Linchby.

"Two Heads Are
Better Than One."

One, however, is the portion allotted to the average mortal. If this one aches and will not work properly, it is worse than none. When this condition is present, the stomach is blamed, the kidneys come in for censure and the liver is sure not to escape. As a fact, the blood is solely responsible for the condition of these organs.

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